

## **Stark County Weed Control Board Meeting**

August 9, 2007

### **Meeting Called to Order**

A meeting of the Stark County Weed Control Board was called to order by vice chair Duane Wolf on Thursday, August 9, in the County Extension Office building, with the following members present: Leland Brand, Art Decker, Ron Hauck, JoAnn Hoff, Jerry Perdaems and Duane Wolf. Also present were Weed Officer Diane Allmendinger and Stark County Weed Administrative Assistant Kaye Jessen.

### **Minutes**

Leland moved to accept the minutes as printed, JoAnn seconded, mc.

### **Financial Report**

The financial account balance as of July 31 is \$41,725.51. Art moved to approve the report, Jerry seconded, mc.

### **Budget**

The 2008 budget was discussed. The vehicle reserve is back in the budget due to the status of the spray boom. Ron moved to approve the budget as presented, Leland seconded, mc.

### **Bobcat**

The new bobcat is in use. Travis Jepson has been hired to operate it.

It was suggested that the Association of Counties be contacted to look into weed interests at the legislature. Ron moved to contact NDACO regarding weed issues, Jerry seconded, mc.

### **Aerial Survey**

Leland reported on the annual aerial survey.

### **Field Days**

Two biocontrol field days were held this year. It was a mediocre year for bugs, 80% brown, 20% black.

### **Miscellaneous**

Art congratulated Diane on her quick response to a problem mentioned by one of the constituents in his area.

### **Adjournment**

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.